		1981-82	1982-83	1983-84	1984-85 (Apr-Dec.)
QATAR	Exports	25·30	29·70	21·69	24·04
	Imports	48·37	26·84	18·44	28·16
	Balance of Trade	(—) 23·07	(+) 2·86	(–) 3·25	(+) 4·12
	Total :	73·67	56·54	40·13	52·20
SAUDI ARABIA	Exports	180·13	227·29	239·99	178·03
	Imports	829·78	1496·24	1127·71	867·12
	Balance of Trade	(–) 649·65	(–)1268·95	(–) 887·72	(–) 689·09
	Total :	1009·91	1723·53	1367·70	1045·15
UAE	Exports	210·82	219·21	224·66	168·22
	Imports	470·50	365·12	229·97	305·55
	Balance of Trade	(–)259·68	(–)145·91	(–) 5·31	(–) 137·33
	Total :	681·32	584·33	454·63	473·77

1984-85 : Figures are available only upto December, 1984.

Action of non-viable units of public sector

2421. MISS SAROJ KHAPARDE: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Chief Executives of major public and private sector and top Government officials are of the view that non-viable units in the public sector should be auctioned off or closed down as reported in the Hindustan Times, dated the 7th July, 1985;

(b) whether the Bureau of Public Enterprises are getting information from various Ministries regarding non-viable units;

(c) if so, what are the names of such units in each Ministry and the loss shown by each unit during the last three years, year-wise; and

(d) what advise Bureau is giving to the Ministries in regard to non-viable units?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI JANARDHAN POOJARI): (a) to (c) The emphasis given by the Government in the case of non-viable units is to find out how best they could be made viable by bringing in additional inputs. Proposals for closure are considered only as a last resort.

The Government is reviewing the performance of all Central Public Enterpri-

ses including the non-viable ones at periodic intervals both at the level of the administrative ministries and the bureau of Public Enterprises and remedial steps considered necessary are taken to improve the performance depending on the circumstances of each case.

The names of, and the loss incurred by loss making enterprises are available in the Public Enterprises Surveys placed on the Table of Rajya Sabha every year.

Construction of Board of Directors for the Nationalised Banks

2422. SHRI NAND KISHORE BHATT: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) by when the new Board of Directors of all the nationalised banks are likely to be constituted; and

(b) whether due representation will be given to the employees and officers of the respective banks?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI JANARDHAN POOJARI): (a) Boards of Directors of nationalised banks have not been dissolved. However, in terms of provisions of Nationalised Banks (Management & Miscellaneous Provisions) Schemes, 1970 and 1980, such of those non-official Directors who had completed three years as Directors had been notified as having ceased to hold office from the date they completed three years as Directors. Resultant vacancies have not yet been filled. The process of selecting suitable persons for such vacancies is under way.

(b) Appointment of Directors on the Boards of nationalised banks is governed by the provisions of Nationalised Banks (Management & Miscellaneous Provisions) Schemes, 1970 and 1980. The Schemes provide for appointment of one Director from among the workmen employees and one Director from among the non-workmen employees of the nationalised banks.

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2343. **श्री सुशील चन्द मोहन्ता :**

श्री राम नरेश कुशवाहा:

क्या वाणिज्य मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि

(क) क्या यह सच है कि अभ्रक व्यापार निगम ने अभ्रक निर्माताओं के साथ एक के बाद दूसरा समझौता करके कमीशन के रूप में 1 करोड 3 लाख रुपये का युद्ध लाभ अर्जित किया ;

(ख) क्या यह भी सच है कि अभ्रक व्यापार निगम (मिटकों) ने वार्षिक आय, सभी व्यावसायिक समझौतों तथा उपरोक्त कमीशन को मिला कर मात्र 42 लाख रुपये का लाभ दिखाया है, और

(ग) यदि उपर्युक्त भाग (क) और (ख) के उत्तर हां हों तो क्या सरकार इस मामले में जांच करने का विचार रखती है ?

वाणिज्य मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री पी० ए० संगमा) : (क) जी नहीं।

(ख) जी नहीं । 1983–84 के दौरान निगम ने बैक-टू-बैक प्रबंधों पर सेवा प्रभारों के रूप मे 16.57 लाख रु० की प्राप्ति सहित अपने सभी कार्यक्रमों पर 191.98 लाख रु० का समग्र लाभ अर्जित किया । इस अवधि के दौरान इसका विकल लाभ 52.25 लाख रु० था।

(ग) प्रश्न नहीं उठता।

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2424. **श्री राम नरेश कुशवाहा :**

श्री सुशील चन्द मोहन्ता :

क्या वाणिज्य मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) अभ्रक व्यापार निगम की कुल कितनी शाखाएं हैं; और